



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Education
 REGION I



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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

No. 282 s. 2026

UPDATES ON THE 2026 REGIONAL FESTIVAL OF TALENTS (RFOT)

To: Schools Division Superintendents

1. Pursuant to Regional Memorandum No. 258, s. 2026, titled *Conduct of the 2026 Regional Festival of Talents (RFOT)*, this Office hereby issues the following updates:

A. Adjustment of Event Schedule and Venues

The RFOT shall be conducted on March 3-5, 2026. The Opening Program will be held on March 3, 2026 at 4:00 P.M. at the Laoag City Hall Basketball Court, Laoag City, Ilocos Norte. The Mayor's Night will follow right after the Opening Program. For this event, fifteen (15) slots shall be allotted per Schools Division Office (SDO). Other changes in the event schedule and venues may be accessed through this link: <https://tinyurl.com/RFOTGuidelines>.

B. Updated Delegates Composition

Contest Event	Learner-Participant s	Teacher-Coaches	Division EPS/Focal Person	Medical Personne l	CID Chief	ASDS	SDS
1. Advocacy Pitch	2	2	10	1	1	1/2	1
2. Arabic Language Spelling	1	1					
3. Bake Cares	3	2					
4. Cabin Craft	1	1					
5. Cine Munti	4	1					
6. Deskmates	2	1					
7. DokyuWento	3	1					
8. Flavor Fame	3	3					
9. Harf Touch	1	1					
10. Likhawitan	3	1					
11. Literary Cup	3	3					
12. Pop Quiz	1	1					
13. Qur'an Reading	1	1					
14. Stemazing	4	2					
15. Techno Fusion	2	1					



C. Utilization of Support Funds

Support funds from the Regional MOOE and the 2025 Direct Released Funds were downloaded to the host division to cover the following expenses:

- certificates, plaques, and tokens;
- supplies and materials;
- board and lodging of RTWGs, guests, and judges;
- honoraria for judges;
- incidental expenses; and
- other related expenses.

2. All other provisions stipulated in RM No. 258, s. 2026 shall remain in full force and effect.

3. Immediate dissemination of this Memorandum is desired.

For the Regional Director:

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Director III

Encl.: As stated

Reference: RM No. 258, s. 2026

To be indicated in the Perpetual Index

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